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Arts & Culture Commission of Contra Costa County

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Agenda for Monday, January 6, 2020 @ 5:30 PM

LOCATION: Communications & Media located at 10 Douglas Drive, Suite 200, Martinez

The mission of this Commission is to advise the Board of Supervisors in matters and issues relevant to Arts and Culture; to advance the arts in a way that promotes communication, education, appreciation and collaboration throughout Contra Costa County; to preserve, celebrate, and share the arts and culture of the many diverse ethnic groups who live in Contra Costa County; to create partnerships with business and government and to increase communications and understanding between all citizens through art. Most importantly, the Commission will promote arts and culture as a vital element in the quality of life for all of the citizens of Contra Costa County.

- 1. Call to Order/Welcome (1 minutes)
 - Meeting to be called to order by Commission Chair, Burrell
- 2. Public Comment (5 minutes)

(Comments may be made on items not on the agenda but under the jurisdiction of the Commission)

- 3. Approval of November 4th Minutes (2 minutes)
 - ➤ VOTE: to approving November 4, 2019 AC5 Commission meeting minutes
 - Explanatory documents: Minutes from AC5 meeting held November 4, 2019
- 4. Approval of AC5 2019 Advisory Body Report (2 minutes)
 - > VOTE: to approve the 2019 Advisory Body Report and submission to the BOS
 - Explanatory documents: 2019 Final Report
- 5. Managing Director's Report (23 minutes)
 - RECEIVE: written & oral 2019 4th =quarter Report from Managing Director
 - Discussion lead by Commission Chair, Burrell
 - Explanatory documents: Managing Director Report October 1 ~ December 31, 2019
- 6. Commissioner's Reports (40 minutes)
 - > RECEIVE: brief written & oral reports from Commissioners on community events and outreach.
 - Discussion lead by Commission Chair, Burrell
 - Explanatory documents: written Commissioner reports
- 7. Brown Act & Commissioner role (10 minutes)
 - RECEIVE: Current information on the Brown Act & Better Government Ordinance
 - Discussion Lead by Mr. Renn, Managing Director
 - > Explanatory documents: hand-outs from July 31, 2019 Brown Act Training
- 8. Poetry Out Loud County Competition (20 minutes)
 - > CONSIDER: Preparations for the POL Competition
 - Discussion lead by Commissioner Shelton
 - Explanatory documents: POL 2020 Flyer
- 9. Culture Planning Committee Report (25 minutes)
 - RECEIVE: Update information from Cultural Planning Committee
 - Discussion lead by Commission Chair, Burrell
 - > Explanatory documents: None
- 10. Youth Commissioner (20 minutes)
 - > CONSIDER: DRAFT Youth Commissioner By-laws updates
 - Discussion lead by Commissioner Kumar
 - Explanatory documents: DRAFT By-laws additions
- 11. Request for Agenda items for next meeting. (2 minutes)

Agenda items needed to be placed on the January agenda

- Consider April is Arts, Culture & Creativity Month!
- Update on grant award to Richmond Art Center
- ➤ Summary of Poetry Out Loud County Competition 2020
- 12. Adjournment [Total time = (2 hours)]
 - > Adjourn: Commission Chair, Burrell will call the time the meeting is adjourned

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